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AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION (37 C.F.R. § 1.121)

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Dear Sir:

To highlight the patentable differences between the above-referenced invention and prior art that is cited and interpreted by the Examiner in an Office Action dated June 3, 2005, Applicants hereby submit this "Amendment" and "Request for Reconsideration" for their above-referenced Application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.121. In submitting this Amendment, Applicants respectfully maintain that the Application, as herein amended, is in a condition for allowance and notice thereof is respectfully requested. At the present time, therefore, please amend the Application as hereinafter indicated.